

## **SPORT BALL WITH SELF-CONTAINED DUAL ACTION INFLATION MECHANISM**

### **Abstract of the Disclosure**

5           An inflatable sport ball, such as a basketball, a football, a soccer ball, a  
volleyball or a playground ball, is provided with a self-contained inflation  
mechanism, or multiple self-contained inflation mechanisms, for inflating or  
adding pressure to the ball. The mechanism is a pump which is positioned and  
retained inside of the ball and which is operable from outside of the ball to pump  
10   ambient air into the ball. The pump is a dual action pump allowing air to be  
added to the ball on both a forward stroke and a reverse stroke.